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		First Named Inventor	Donald J. Berk
		Group Art Unit	2151
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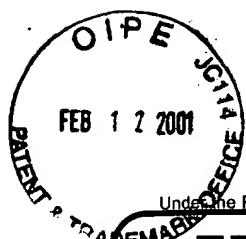
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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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1. BASIC FILING FEE

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107 490	207 245	Plant filing fee	
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103 18	203 9	Claims in excess of 20
102 80	202 40	Independent claims in excess of 3
104 270	204 135	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
109 80	209 40	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
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105 130	205 65		Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	65.00
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139 130	139 130		Non-English specification	
147 2,520	147 2,520		For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
112 920*	112 920*		Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113 1,840*	113 1,840*		Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115 110	215 55		Extension for reply within first month	
116 390	216 195		Extension for reply within second month	
117 890	217 445		Extension for reply within third month	
118 1,390	218 695		Extension for reply within fourth month	
128 1,890	228 945		Extension for reply within fifth month	
119 310	219 155		Notice of Appeal	
120 310	220 155		Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121 270	221 135		Request for oral hearing	
138 1,510	138 1,510		Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140 110	240 55		Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141 1,240	241 620		Petition to revive - unintentional	
142 1,240	242 620		Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143 440	243 220		Design issue fee	
144 600	244 300		Plant issue fee	
122 130	122 130		Petitions to the Commissioner	
123 50	123 50		Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
126 180	126 180		Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
581 40	581 40		Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
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149 710	249 355		For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
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In Re Application of:

Donald J. Berk

Serial No.: 09/731,127

Filed: December 6, 2000

Examiner:

Art Unit: 2521

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This is in response to the Notice To File Missing Parts dated January 29, 2001, in the above-identified application.

X Enclosed is a Power of Attorney authorization to the undersigned.

Declaration or Oath

X Enclosed is the original declaration or oath for this application since the declaration or oath was not filed with the application.

Assignment

Enclosed is an assignment of the invention to: _____



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Filing fees.

Presentation of extra claims.

Extension of time

Application processing fees.

Any processing fees required.

Date: February 9, 2001


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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
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